

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Attorney Docket No. 1180.5059

In re Application of:

GREGORY N. WEISMANTEL

Serial No. 10/053,935

Filed: **JANUARY 24, 2002**

For: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR
TRANSMITTAL OF EXTENDED DATA
ATTRIBUTES FOR PRODUCT ITEMS,
PRICING AND TRADE PROMOTION
TRANSACTIONS**

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Examiner:

MICHAEL BEKERMAN

Art Unit: 3622

Confirmation No.: 5964

COMMENTS ON STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

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Commissioner for Patents

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Dear Sir/Madam:

The indication in the Notice of Allowance mailed October 14, 2011 that Claims 1, 2, 6, 7, and 21-39 of the subject Application, have been allowed, is noted with appreciation. However, Applicant would like to comment on the Examiner's statement of reasons for allowance.

REMARKS:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.104, Applicant respectfully issues a statement commenting on the Examiner's reasons for allowance. Applicant respectfully disagrees with the Examiner's reasons for allowance to the extent that they are inconsistent with applicable case law, statutes, and regulations. Furthermore, Applicant does not admit to any characterization or limitation of the claims, particularly any that are inconsistent with the language of the claims considered in their entirety and including all of their constituent limitations, or to any characterization of a reference by the Examiner.

CONCLUSION:

Although Applicant believes no additional fees are deemed to be necessary; the undersigned hereby authorizes the Commissioner to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayments, to **Deposit Account No. 500777**. If an extension of time is necessary for allowing this Response to be timely filed, this document is to be construed as also constituting a Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a) to the extent necessary. Any fee required for such Petition for Extension of Time should be charged to **Deposit Account No. 500777**.

Respectfully submitted,

January 16, 2012
Date

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